Park Review

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LAST TIMES TODAY

"THE OATH"

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PLAZA.

R. A. Walh's eight act First National Attraction, "The Oath," with Miriam Cooper, Conday Tearle and Anna Q. Nilsson, which is now playing at the Plaza theatre in conjunction with a big vaudeville bill, will be shown for the last times today. William B. DeMille's Paramount special "After the Show," with Jack Holt and I.I. Lee is the feature offering for the last half of this week. "After the Show" was published some months ago in the Saturday Evening Post. The Story, by Rita Weiman, appeared under the title. "The Stage Door," and is built around an old stage-doorkeeper, who is one of the most human, interesting characters ever seen on the screen, Spirit, of Youth, the cutest act in vaudeville, heads the vaudeville bill for the latter half of this week. The company is composed of five juvenile stars; three PARK.

Thurston, the famous magician, will be seen at the Park theatre for the week, The company is composed of five juvenile stars; three girls and two boys and between them there is enough talent to equip a whole musical comedy. They sing, lance, limitate, play instruments and magge in first class comedy. Murby and Hewitt in "Secreta," Francis.

Condan and Phyllis Gilmore, in a veity comedy act called "Silence" of Clay and Robinson in "Fresh im Rally," complete the bill. The wrice m history chapter play, more of the West," with the company is called the composed of the bill. The wrice and Robinson in "Fresh im Rally," complete the bill. The wrice m history chapter play.

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Acord, will also be shown. LYRIC. George M. Cohan is recognized as the best writer and producer of comcdles in the history of the American theatre, and it's a surety that Cohan's Isurels were never so increased as by his great play of Connecticut life, "Broadway Jones," which the Poil Players are presenting at the Lyric all this week.

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illusion presenting the miracle of ac-tually cutting a woman in halves and restoring her while the audience watches is the most emazing bit of magte ever presented.

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Mimor Watson has made an indelible impression in the role of "Broadway Jones"—the part which Cohan wrote for himself and in which he appeared for three solid years. Mr. Watson is being haled as the best leading man that the Lyric ever had. To attempt a Cohan role is to invite comparisons of course, but it is generally opneeded that Mr. Watson gives a fine and smooth performance, Announcement is made that Robert W. Chambers' greatest play, "The Common Law" which is based upon

Mrs. Roy E. Clark will preside at the December assembly of the Women's League of the Park Street EMPIRE.

The Indian "Io-Wa-Ka," or Northern Blue Flower, plays an important part in the unfolding of the story of the film drama, "isobel; or, The Trail's End." which is to be shown at the Empire theater, today. This production, adapted from James Oliver Curwood's famous novel, "Isobel," is one of the most powerful Northland.

Women's League of the Park Street Congregational church which will take place Thursday, Dec. 15 at 3 o'clock. The speaker will be Miss Lillian Prodden, president of the New Haven League. The members will have a sewing meeting at 10 a. m. and lunch will be served at 12:30. In the afternoon there will be a sale of food and Christmas articles, the proceeds of the most powerful Northland.

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Chance To See What Men Want

Followers of the big productions announced by the producers of impor-tant pictures this season, have long awaited an announcement concerning the theatre in Bridgeport that would

show the reigning New York sensa-tion, "What Do Men Want?"

After negotiations extending over a period of several weeks, the Empire theatre is able to announce definitely

The other day I was listening to a woman speaker. She had what is known as a commanding platform presence That is, when she stood be-fore an assemblage of people, she was able to make them like her and to be influenced to her opinion because of her opinion because of her attractive personality. She seemed to be a wo-man of about 35, and she was remark-ably pretty. This was my impression as I entered the room late, and saw her in front of the complete in t

as I entered the room late, and saw her in front of me.

I had to walk around the side of the hall to find a seat, so that when I looked at her again, it was no longer her full face, but her profile that I saw. Suddenly she appeared to be 45 or even 50—all beacuse there were two baggy pouches of flesh under her chin.

A double (or triple) chin will speil even the prettiest face. The sad part is that it is absolutely unnecessary. No woman need speil her appearance with a double chin, if she begins treating herself in time. Of course if the body is too fat, some of this extra fiesh is bertain to form under the chin as we as ever the abdomen and the back of the shoulders. A general reduction will help to reduce this double chin and local treatments with ice and careful massage will draw up the loose skin and bring back the smooth and youthful line.

I would recommend a ten minute rub with a piece of ice every day, to be preceded by a rather vigorous massage with the hands. The exercise of stretching the chin upwards as far as possible will also be of immense beneit, and if you cannot get ice, use any well-recommended astringent.

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UNHAPPY: — Yours is, indeed, a very difficult problem and unfortunately it is a problem many women face. You naturally want friends and a little social life; your husband refuses to let you have any friends I suppose it is an unconscious jealousy on his part — but that doesn't make it a bit easier for you.

You write that his insults to your friends and his constant quarreling when you see anyone makes you so unhappy you are even tempted to eave him. You have, fortunately, the means of supporting yourself. Could you, by quiet, plain talks with your husband, make him see that yours is a partnership as well as a marriage—since you are contributing your share—and that his attitude is spoiling your life Quarreling won't help, it will only make things worse, If your problem is solved, it will be the result of a well talked over, businesslike agreement between you, ment between you,

All insuirles addressed to Miss Forbes in care of the "Beauty Chats" department will be answered in these

SHOW FOR BENEFIT OF

"Hello 1922," is the burlesque at-raction at the Park theatre today. The way burlesque business has been if late the shows will no doubt be glad to say goodbye 1921. There will be a lot of other lines of business in the same boat.

ness in the same boat.

This week's offering is just another buriesque show, along the usual lines. The comedians haven't much chance to get going, with the old bits at hand. Scotty Freidell, doing a tramp, is the featured comic. He does well enough and gets some big laughs in spots; while Bernard Gorcey, a little fellow, who has a different line, adds his share to the entertainment.

It is a better show, taken all in all, than was offered last week. There are several girls in the chorus who are several girls in the chorus who are clever. Wonder what happened to those old fashloned "pick out numbers? Why drop them and carry so many other old features?

What probably saved this show was the Snappy Trio, three men who sang a little and might just as well have sung oftener. They were good. Another feature is the fact that there are four leading women, none of are four leading women, none of whom are blanks. Franz Marie Texas is featured on the billing. She is well known to burlesque fans—but so is Teresa Adams, who is a mighty hard worker. However, the honors, for pep and general attractiveness, must go to Gertrude Babe Lavette. Neither is there anything the matter with Blanche Burnette.

with Blanche Burnette.

Don Trent has escaped from the Mollie Williams show, but just can't resist doing a "heavy" sketch. He works with Teresa Adams and William Murphy, in one of those acts in which everybody but the butler, and outhestra leader, gots either stabbed or shot in about 10 seconds as a finale.

PLACE IN LEGEND AND HISTORY OF QUEEN OF SHEBA

The great part the Queen of Sheba played in the life of King Solomon is not only a matter of historical record, but also of Oriental legend, according to Virginia Tracy, author of the story on which "Queen of Shebt," the William For playing managed now at am Fox picture spectacle now a

iam Fox picture spectacle now at Foll's, is based.

Throughout the East a hundred legends and traditions, mostly unwritten, keep alive the memory of the great queen who came from the south and won Solomon's heart. Her fame in Asia is beyond that of Cleopatra and that of Helen of Troy, in spite of the fact that Cleopatra had Shakespeare, and Helen had Homer to sing their praises, while Sheba's love never until now has been immortalized in the written word.

ed in the written word.

Yet for proof of her strong influence on King Solomon, and, through him, probably on the whole course of history, one must turn to the Songs of Solomon, which, according to commentators, contain many passages mentators, contain many passages which can refer only to the Queen

It is true that a strong school of thought holds that in these poems which form the collection known as the Songs of Solomon, the king used his love for Sheba as a religious symbol; but they contain every indication that they were written by a man who had experienced the deepest of human emotions, that of love between the seves

It is also undoubtedly true that the Songs of Solomon were written soon after the visit of the Queen of Sheba to Solomon's kingdom. Dazzled by to Solomon's kingdom. Dazzled by her beauty and the magnificence of her retinue. Solomon descended from his throne to greet the Queen, who had journeyed over the desert to gaze upon his glory and hear his wisdom. And not for the first time in history, nor the last, wisdom and power bowed low and humbled itself before beauty.

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